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## HARSH CRITICISM FOR GETTYSBURG

Visitor to Gettysburg Lodges Formal Complaint with Burgess Holtzworth Calling Town Unhealthy and Unsanitary.

Burgess Holtzworth is in receipt of a letter from Sylvester S. Martin, of Bryn Mawr, who complains bitterly of conditions in Gettysburg. Mr. Martin visited the town last week and will be remembered by citizens as the party who lodged similar complaint several years ago and even drew the attention of the State Board of Health to matters in Gettysburg so that a representative was sent here to make an investigation. The result of his visit was never made public. Mr. Martin takes exception to alleged unsanitary conditions as he claims to have found them in some of the local hotels and says regarding the town in his letter to Burgess Holtzworth:

"I have been a visitor in your city several times. It is a favorite trip with me to go to Gettysburg in my automobile, taking some of my friends with me who have never visited that historic spot and allow them to have the opportunity of going over the battlefield. Several times previous to this upon returning from Gettysburg, I have taken it upon myself to call the attention of your chamber of commerce, your board of trade, newspapers, hotel keepers, and health authorities to the untidy condition of the city. You have a very nice public square and it looks as though horses were stabled there and the stable had not been cleaned.

"Gettysburg is a beautiful city, you have thousands of visitors, and why you allow your city to be in such an unhealthy, unsanitary condition, in these modern times is something beyond the understanding of not only myself and my guests but other people I have met who have visited your historic spot.

"I understand it is the expectation to have there a year from now many thousands of the old soldiers and let me plead for them that your city be cleaned. Let there be public fountains in the streets where a man can get a drink of good cool water. That water shall be free and abundant and that public conveniences for human kind be amply provided and let horses be stabled somewhere other than in the public square and in the streets."

## RINGLING BROS. MAY WINTER IN CUMBERLAND VALLEY

It is rumored in Chambersburg that Ringling Brothers, owners of Barnum and Baileys, Ringling Brothers and Wallace and Hagenback's and other shows, are negotiating for a site for winter quarters at Chambersburg. It is understood that they have taken an option on Wolf's tract, commonly known as Wolf's park, and are trying to get the Stewart tract and a siding on the Western Maryland railroad.

The state of Wisconsin in which state Ringling Brothers now winter their many shows have recently imposed heavy taxes on the showmen and they are looking for another winter site.

The location in Chambersburg of the Ringling Brothers winter quarters would be a boost for the Cumberland Valley. The showmen use enormous quantities of all kinds of feed and the demand would take all of the farmers' surplus as well as give employment to a large number of people.

## ABDIEL F. GITT

Abdiel F. Gitt, for many years a resident of New Oxford, died at the Brethren Home, near Lancaster, Saturday morning, July 13, aged 89 years. He was a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gitt, who lived at the "Cross Keys," along the Carlisle pike, near New Oxford, and were widely and favorably known in Adams and the upper portion of York counties.

He is survived by one daughter Mrs. William A. Himes, of New Oxford, and four grandchildren.

The remains were taken to Hanover Monday. The body was conveyed to Mt. Olivet cemetery, where interment was made on the family lot. Rev. C. W. Baker, of New Oxford officiated.

## MR. FLEMING APPOINTED

William B. Fleming has been appointed one of the inspectors of the state road now being rebuilt between Gettysburg and New Oxford. Mr. Fleming will have charge of the work at this end and D. E. Wolf, of Franklintown, York county, will have charge of the work at the other end of the route.

THE Civic League of Cashtown will celebrate the opening of their park by a festival on the evening of August 3d.

TWO rooms for rent, heat and bath, central location. Inquire of 31 East Middle street.

## MUCH BUILDING ACTIVITY COMING

Several New Homes and One Large Block of Houses will be Started this Year. Much Concrete Work Planned.

The latter part of the summer and the early fall months will see a number of new building operations started in Gettysburg and the present extensive work will not have been completed before other buildings will have been commenced.

The Reaser Furniture Company will break ground within the next few days for the extension of their plant westward and the building operations will continue there while those across the railroad are going on at the new plant of the Gettysburg Furniture Company.

John H. Crowe is preparing plans for the residence which Wilson A. Bream will erect on Broadway this fall. The house will be of Dutch colonial architecture, stucco finish. It will be placed on the lot immediately east of J. Donald Swope's residence.

The row of ten or twelve brick houses which are to be built by the recently organized association of Gettysburg men will be started just as soon as laborers can be procured. This block is to be erected at the northeast corner of the intersection of North Stratton street and Custer avenue and will face Stratton street. The houses are to be sold on the installment plan.

Work will continue for some time on the present buildings now under construction. Franklin Rudisill has the foundation completed for his new home on Lincoln avenue and work will be continued there for some months.

While the building is going on, other improvements are keeping pace. The borough will follow the completion of their Centre Square pavements by laying a concrete street at the intersection of Lincoln avenue and Carlisle street. The success or failure of the experiment will decide whether more of this sort of work will be carried on in the borough.

The Seminary will have a large amount of cement pavement laid during the summer and the Evergreen Cemetery property will be improved by concrete pavement which will be laid along Baltimore street. It is probable that more thorough curb will be constructed from the top of Seminary Ridge to the foot of the hill along the south side to solve the drainage problem in that section.

## KILLED IN CANADA

Raymond Rockey, son of Samuel Rockey, of Goodyear, was killed in Canada, on July 11th. Details of his death are lacking. He was an employee of Foundation Bridge Company and was aged 26 years.

The body started from Canada July 13th, will probably arrive at Goodyear the latter part of the week.

He leaves his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Rockey, four brothers, James and Wilbert, of Cumberland county; John, of North Dakota, and Chalmers, of Wisconsin, also one sister, Mrs. Annie Gardner, of Goodyear.

When the body arrives it will be taken to the home of his parents. Interment at Goodyear's church. Rev. Mr. Smith, officiating. Further notice later.

## TWAS ST. SWITHIN'S DAY AND IT RAINED

Monday was St. Swithin's Day and it rained. You can put down now that all danger of a drought during the summer is over. This is, if you believe in the old legends and portents. The story that it will rain for forty days if a single drop falls on St. Swithin's Day has been handed down from generation to generation and so firmly is the legend imbedded in the life of the English speaking people that it has been dignified by being classed Anglo-Saxon folk lore. Monday evening there was a light sprinkle for several minutes.

## WORKING NIGHT AND DAY

C. F. Moul, with a force of 25 men, expects to complete the dam at Waldheim, along the Big Conewago Creek this week. The men are working day and night in order to finish the work before the creek becomes high by the heavy rains. The structure is of reinforced concrete and is being built in front of the former wooden breastwork, a portion of which was carried away by the high water and ice last winter.

## ANOTHER BARN DESTROYED

Ernest Bittinger's barn in Menallen township, with all the contents burned on Saturday last, only the horse being saved. The hog pen, and a chicken house also burned. The hogs were saved from the fire. The origin of the fire is not known.

ANOTHER lot of pineapples at 60 cents a dozen. N. L. Minter, Centre Square.

## ST. JAMES TIES FOR FIRST PLACE

Victory over Catholic Team Gives them Equal Chance for Lead. Large Crowd again Present and Much Enthusiasm.

Nixon Field held another record breaking crowd on Monday evening and another exciting game delighted the big crowd of spectators. St. James defeated the Catholics 6 to 4 and tied for first place. Collection \$15.22.

Ehrhart, a former Gettysburg College star, pitched for St. James and John Wisotzkey, who has played considerable professional ball, was in the box for the Catholics. With these two pitchers the crowd anticipated a good game and they were not disappointed. Ehrhart had the better of the argument and 12 all but one in the Catholics were retired in order. In that inning he gave a base on balls, hit a batter and three hits were tallied against him, though two of them were infield hits due to the manner of handling by his teammates. Only two clean hits were made off Wisotzkey, though the same kind of fielding gave St. James several infield hits. Ehrhart had seven strike outs. Wisotzkey three.

St. James scored four in the second. Patterson got a base on balls, stole second, took third on McDonnell's infield hit and scored on Sachs' infield grounder which was poorly played and Sachs was safe on first. McClellan drew a base on balls. Bases full and none out. Ehrhart was hit by a pitched ball forcing in a run. Sachs scored on Wright's infield grounder. All again safe and none out. Zinn knocked a fly back of second. Breighner made a difficult catch but McClellan scored before the ball could be fielded home. A double play by Charles Stock ended the inning.

McDonnell's good catch robbed Kimple of a hit in the Catholic half of the second. St. James scored one in the third when Patterson got to first while trying to sacrifice Hartzell to second. He stole second, took third



Harry Breighner when Wisotzkey made his two-bagger.

on McDonnell's infield hit and scored on Swope's error. St. James added another in the fourth when Wright got to first on Swisher's error, stole second, got to third on a passed ball and scored on Zinn's hit. St. James got the bases full a few minutes later but Oyley's catch ended the inning.

The Catholic half of the fourth looked as though they were going to repeat their feat of Friday evening and overcome an apparently safe lead but four runs were all that could be tallied. Stock drew a pass, Rosensteel got hit and McClellan fielded Kimple's grounder to third too late to catch him. This filled the bases. Wisotzkey drove a clean two base hit to center field and scored two. Kimple scored on Swisher's hit in front of the plate and Wisotzkey scored on Eckenrode's infield hit. The infield and Pitcher Ehrhart tightened and further scoring was prevented.

This evening Presbyterian vs. Col. lege.

St. James	0	4	1	0	6
Catholic	0	0	4	0	4
	W.	L.	P.	C.	
Catholic	3	1			.750
St. James	3	1			.750
Reformed	2	1			.667
Presbyterian	1	2			.333
Methodist	1	2			.333
College	0	3			.000

## DELICATE OPERATION

The left eye of Miss Annie Wagaman, of McSherrystown, was removed by Drs. Wesley C. and Edward M. Stick, on Sunday. The eye had been sightless since Miss Wagaman was a child, and through sympathetic inflammation the other eye had become affected, and to save the sight in the eye, the blind one was removed.

SPECIAL bargain: 75c children's shoes at a great bargain, 39c. Lewis E. Kirsin.

ONE brand new 3-1-2 horse power engine will exchange the same on stock of any kind. For information and demonstration regarding engine call at the Gettysburg Supply House, York street.

## 1911 HAD HOTTER DAYS THAN THESE

Long Continued Warm Weather is Severe but not so Much so as in July of Last Year. Several Days over Hundred Mark.

Those who have been suffering from the severe heat of the past ten days may find some comfort in the fact that they lived through hotter days last year. Colonel E. B. Cope, the local weather man, gives the following official maximum temperatures here for the days during the present "hot spell".

July 6	91
July 7	93
July 8	95
July 9	96
July 10	94
July 11	90
July 12	94
July 13	93
July 14	94
July 15	93

Now compare these figures with the maximum temperatures of the first week in July 1911:

July 1	90
July 2	100
July 3	103
July 4	101
July 5	94
July 6	102
July 7	97

Fortunately the weather bureau promises some relief and before the end of the week a decided change toward cooler weather is expected.

## BUCHANAN VALLEY

Buchanan Valley, July 16—Miss Sara Stable attended the Brinkerhoff-Eckerd wedding in Gettysburg on last Wednesday.

Joseph Musser, wife and baby, of Cumberland, Md., are visiting at the home of Peter Musser.

Samuel McKenrick, Jr., wife and daughter, of Comanche, Iowa, are visiting relatives in the Valley.

Mrs. Joseph McClain and two children and Miss McClain, of Wrightsville, are visiting Mrs. McClain's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew McKenrick. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thomas and son, of Newville, also spent a few days at home. Miss Mary and James McKenrick are home from Chambersburg for a week.

Mrs. Mary McCloskey and grand daughter, Miss Helen Gelback, of Philadelphia, are spending some time at John E. Brady's, of this place. John Gelback and Mary Boyle are also visiting at the same place.

David Irvin and sister, Miss Laura, attended mass in St. Ignatius church on Sunday last, stopping afterward at James Kimple's.

Edgar Thorn and Leo Livers, of Martinsburg, West Virginia, were in the Valley on Sunday last in an automobile.

Mr. and Mrs. Rice, of Chambersburg, spent a week at William Chap-saddle's recently.

Miss Lottie Irvin, of Harrisburg, is spending some time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel D. Irvin.

Miss Bernadette Irvin visited her sister, Mrs. Frank Kramer, in Chambersburg, last week.

Quite a number of our people attended Barnum and Bailey's circus in Chambersburg.

Miss Nellie Singley, of Fairfield, visited in the Valley last week.	
Miss Bertha Hall spent a week at her home from the State Sanatorium at Mt. Alto.	
Francis Beck was very unfortunate, in breaking his arm by falling from a bicycle the past week.	
Mrs. Crist Cooley and daughter visited at the home of her father, Henry Shultz, at Cashtown last Sunday.	

## BICYCLISTS ON WAY ATLANTA TO NEW YORK

Two bicyclists, Miller and Baker, two young Atlanta, Ga., men, one a printer, arrived here today, on their bicycles, on their way from Atlanta to New York City. They started from Atlanta 22 days ago, without a cent, to get to New York in six weeks. If they accomplish this trip in the time specified they will win a purse of \$100. Thus far they have ridden 17 days of the 22, being detained by rain five days. They sell cards with cuts of themselves and their bicycles to pay their expenses on the trip.

## SCOUTS' CAMP

It has been found that sufficient ground cannot be secured on South Mountain for the camp of Boy Scouts from Gettysburg and four or five other towns. The idea of a combined camp is still being pushed, however, and a site near East Berlin may be chosen for the big camp of khaki clad boys.

ANOTHER lot of pineapples at 60 cents a dozen. N. L. Minter, Centre Square.

## PERSONAL NOTES AND BRIEF ITEMS

Paragraphs of News Telling of the Happenings in and about Town. People Visiting here and those Sojourning Elsewhere.

Miss Martha McPherson, of Franklin, Venango county, is spending some time with Mrs. Topper at her home on Baltimore street.

Raymond F. Topper has returned home after a trip of several weeks to the western part of the state.

Mrs. E. J. LeDane, of Washington, has returned home after spending the past two months with her daughter, Mrs. S. E. Swope, of East Middle street.

Franklin Swope, of East Middle street, is spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Jacobs, of Mummaburg.

Miss Mary Bausch left this morning for Everett after a visit of several weeks with Dr. and Mrs. Karl J. Grimm.

Mrs. J. T. Huddle, of Washington, is spending some time with her father, Dr. J. W. C. O'Neal, Carlisle street. Misses Dorothy Zane, Frieda Bausch, Marie Bentz and Hester Blocher are for several days the guests of Miss Erma Willis, Fairfield.

Mrs. W. F. Gilliland and Mrs. Graham have returned after a trip of several days to Atlantic City.

Miss Annie Carp, of Baltimore, is visiting her sister, Mrs. L. E. Kirsin at her home on West Middle street.

Mrs. George F. Young has returned from a week's trip to her home on Centre Square.

Walter Ziegler is spending his vacation at his home here. Mr. Ziegler is in the service of the State Constabulary.

Edward Pfaff has returned to Gettysburg after spending several weeks at his home in Montgomery.

Miss Janet Robertson, of Harrisburg, has resumed her visit with Misses Lillian and Esther King after spending several days at Pen Mar.

Miss Sara Reen, of Springs avenue, is a guest at the home of Miss Julia Suessert in Chambersburg.

Mr. Pfeffer and Miss Smith, of Baltimore, are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Miller, on East Middle street.

Mrs. Prong, of Cumberland, Md., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. William D. Armor, on East Middle street.

Misses Helen and Georgie Aumen are visiting their uncles, William S. and Francis Aumen in Baltimore for several weeks.

## CELEBRATED BIRTHDAY

The friends of Mrs. Rebecca Grimes, of Fairfield, united in celebrating her 92nd birthday on Tuesday, July 9th. Mrs. Grimes is distinguished as the oldest resident of Fairfield. She is known as a very remarkable woman at her age and is noted for her splendid memory. The feature of the day which will be longest remembered, by Mrs. Grimes was a song service followed by a prayer by her nephew, Rev. Richard Kountz. A number of her friends from the town called during the evening and all joined in hoping that good health may attend her during the coming years. These friends from a distance spent a very pleasant day with her and her daughter, Mrs. Sarah Shepherd, at their home on Water street. Rev. and Mrs. Richard Kountz and daughter, Mary, Mrs. Mary Stansbury, Mrs. Emma Nonemaker, Mr. and Mrs. Neal Zimmerman and Basil Gilson.

## HOP LEE MAKES A HIT

Hop Lee went to Chambersburg Monday and was there interviewed by a reporter of the "Repository" concerning the robbery at his brother-in-law's laundry. The "Repository" says among other things: "Hop Lee, who will be remembered as interpreter in court when Moxley was tried and convicted for robbing the same laundryman, is a jolly, big Chinaman, and talks fairly good English."

## ENLARGING STORE

Work at enlarging the Funkhouser and Sachs store is going along nicely. The old store room of Calvin F. Solt will be part of the ladies' department and add greatly to the general appearance and capacity of the house.

## SURETY OF THE PEACE

Howard Gerber was this morning given a hearing before Squire Hill on a charge of surety of the peace and held for August Court. He gave \$200 bail for his appearance. John Raymond was the prosecutor.

GARDEN hose: big bargains in garden hose. All kinds reduced. Adams County Hardware Co.

FOR SALE: pen Columbia Wyandottes. Nine hens. Rooster. Choice stock. George Taylor.



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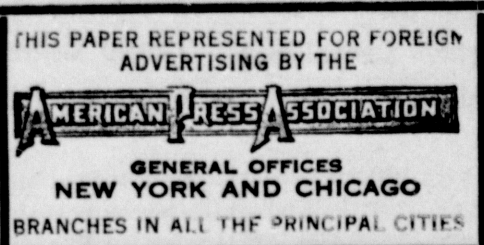
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## WATCH OUR WINDOWS

Store closed at 6 P. M. except SATURDAYS.

C. B. KITZMILLER.

## ANNOUNCEMENT

This is to inform my patrons and the public, that on account of the growth and increase in the produce business department, and distribution of spraying material; I am unable, at least at the present time, to handle any WHEAT at my warehouse, but will continue the feed and other grain department same as usual.

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## JOB WORK

The TIMES printing plant is in position to do job work on short notice during the dull season of the next few weeks.

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If you have a larger job, bring it in and let us quote a price.

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25 bushels of home raised Crimson Clover Seed.

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## MANY HOMELESS IN BIG FLOOD

Cloudburst Does \$2,000,000 Damage in Denver.

### TWO DEAD, TWO MISSING

Hundreds of People Were Marooned and Scores of Small Dwellings Were Washed Away.

Denver, Colo., July 16.—Two dead, five injured, two missing and property damage of at least \$2,000,000 were the facts in connection with the cloudburst here.

The dead are: Frank Hill and Mrs. Lydia Bickford, aged eighty-five years. The missing are: Zoe Wallace and Albert Clay.

The great city auditorium is a refuge camp. Six hundred of the homeless are congregated there. They are being fed by the city. Twenty-five children from six months to six years old, whose parents may have been lost, are in the care of a police matron.

Practically the entire residence district from Broadway east to the city limits for blocks on each side and from Broadway to the Platte river between Thirteenth street and Seventh avenue was two feet deep in water.

The flood is without parallel in the history of the city. Had it not been for a note of warning sounded over the telephone from an unknown source to the city hall just before the crest of the flood reached the city hundreds could not have escaped death. Many fled in their night clothes, and it is believed that many more were caught in the flood while sleeping.

The crest of the cloudburst was preceded by a storm with a wind velocity of forty-eight miles an hour. In a two hours' hard rain the streets and sewers were flooded, the tramway lines were out of commission, hundreds were marooned in the parks around the city and fifty miles of city roadway was destroyed. Then came a lull of four hours, during which the car lines were returning to schedule.

At about 9.30 o'clock the cry of warning of the coming flood reached the city hall and Mayor Arnold. Within thirty minutes a wall of water many feet high descended on the city from Cherry creek, which flows through the country club grounds, passing within five blocks of the city hall, the county hospital, the West Side court, out to the South Platte, five miles distant.

It ripped out the concrete walls that confined it for two miles, destroyed bridges and hundreds of small dwellings, driving the occupants from their homes or to roofs, from which they were rescued by members of the police and fire departments.

Hundreds of spectators, cut off from retreat by the flood, were rescued by volunteers. Wagon after wagon was driven into the flood to return with women and children in drenched night dress. Those who insisted on saving their effects were dragged from their homes.

Reaching the Union Station, the torrent rushed three feet deep through the yard, putting out locomotive fires, marooning several hundred passengers and closing the city to incoming or outgoing traffic. In half an hour miles of tramway lines were put out of commission, while a sewer undermined, broke and flooded Capitol Hill, the aristocratic section of the city. The cellars of the downtown stores and hotels were flooded. A general call to physicians met with speedy response. As the flood was at its receding point the parties organized during the night by Mayor Arnold began the work of surveying the damage and aiding the victims.

### HUNDREDS DROWN IN MEXICO

Cloudbursts and Floods Blot Out Salamanca and Celaya.

Mexico City, Mex., July 16.—Details of cloudbursts and floods which again destroyed several thriving cities and exacted a toll of hundreds of lives in the state of Guanajuato have just been received.

The advices declare that the cities of Salamanca and Celaya have been destroyed and that the number of victims cannot be foretold until the waters have subsided.

The first of the series of cloudbursts and floods which have stricken the wealthy state of Guanajuato occurred several weeks ago, when a large part of the capital was washed away, together with several hundred unfortunate persons, who were unable to get to places of safety.

A few days ago the bottom again dropped out of the sky and quickly covered the valley of the Santiago with water to a depth of two meters. The natural outlets became clogged, and within half an hour nothing was seen of the two little cities but the roofs of the houses covered with the terror-stricken people praying for deliverance.

According to advices received it is probable that more than 1000 lives were lost and at least \$10,000,000 in property was destroyed before the vast body of water, which, as suddenly as it came, went out with a rush, carrying houses and people to destruction.

WILLIAM F. M'COMBS.  
Elected Chairman of Democratic National Committee.



M'COMBS ELECTED NATIONAL CHAIRMAN

Selected to Lead Wilson's Presidential Fight.

Chicago, July 16.—Colonel W. F. M'Combs, of New York, who was manager of Governor Wilson's pre-convention campaign, was unanimously elected as chairman of the Democratic national committee.

Mr. M'Combs, who succeeds Norman E. Mack, of Buffalo, N. Y., thus will continue as the leader in the fight of the New Jersey executive for the presidency. His election has been expected, as it was understood that he was the general choice of the committee men as well as of the nominee.

Joseph E. Davies, of Madison, Wis., was elected secretary of the committee, succeeding Urey Woodson.

Robert S. Hudspeeth, the New Jersey national committeeman, said before the meeting that he had a verbal message from Governor Wilson, but no letter, to outline the candidate's ideas for the conduct of his campaign.

John I. Martin, of St. Louis, was re-elected sergeant-at-arms.

It was reported that the selection of a vice chairman was probable, but no definite announcement on this point would be made before the meeting of the executive committee. William G. McDoo, of New York, was regarded as the probable choice for treasurer and vice chairman.

### GASOLINE KILLS TWO

Twelve Quarts Stored in Children's Bedroom Explodes.

Philadelphia, July 16.—Two children, four and two years old, died in the Samaritan hospital within half an hour of each other as the result of burns received when twelve quarts of gasoline exploded in their bedroom.

The children are Angelina and Gracia Carosi. Their mother, Mrs. Irene Carosi, and an infant brother are in the same hospital, seriously but not fatally burned.

The accident happened while the three children were in bed. A match lying on the bedroom floor was responsible.

Mrs. Carosi had the gasoline stored in a closet in the children's room. She took one of the quart bottles to do some cleaning. While walking across the room with the uncorked bottle in her hand she stepped on a match. It flared up and a spark entered the bottle. Immediately the liquid exploded, and, excited, Mrs. Carosi threw the bottle to the floor.

A trail of fire followed the gasoline. It led to the closet where the other eleven bottles stood. In a few moments there was a terrific explosion. Flames shot to every corner of the room and ignited the bed.

Although her dress was in flames, Mrs. Carosi gathered two of the children in her arms and ran to the hall way. She then returned for the other child. Angelina was the last she took from the room. When admitted to the Samaritan hospital the two girls were in such a serious condition that physicians declared they would die. Death occurred shortly after.

### Heat Victim Jumps 200 Feet to Death.

Pittsburgh, Pa., July 16.—Alex Tauer, twenty-five years old, depressed by the heat, committed suicide by jumping from a window on the fourteenth floor of the Machesney building in the financial district. He struck on the roof of an adjoining building 200 feet below.

### Can't "Green" Foods After This Year.

Washington, July 16.—The use of copper salts in the "greening" of foods, principally canned peas and beans, will be prohibited after Jan. 1 next by a pure food decision signed by Secretary Wilson.

### Cuts Throat and Sets Himself Afire.

Johnstown, Pa., July 16.—After cutting her throat three times, Mrs. Simon Levine poured kerosene over her clothing and set fire to it. She is expected to die.

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## ENGINEERS' SIDE IS PRESENTED

Discuss Wage Claim Before Arbitration Commission.

### STONE OUTLINES CASE

Chief of Brotherhood Declares Working Life of Men Is Only Eleven Years.

New York, July 16.—The case of the locomotive engineers on fifty-two of the railroads whose territory is east of Chicago and north of the Norfolk & Western railway, who demand an increase of wages aggregating \$7,500,000 a year, was opened before a board of arbitration which is conducting hearings at the Oriental hotel, Manhattan Beach.

It is recognized that the task which the commission has undertaken is a colossal one, for the reason that its decision hinges not only on the question at issue, but also whether the firemen on these same roads, as well as other employees, shall achieve their demands, which will be many times as great.

The engineers at first voted to strike when their demands were rejected, but finally agreed to arbitrate. Both sides agreed to accept the decision of the commission.

When the proceedings opened Warren S. Stone, grand chief of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, said that he and M. W. Cadle, president of the Chicago & Alton; O. F. Butterfield, general counsel for the New York Central; Francis J. Gowan, counsel for the Pennsylvania, and G. E. Brownell, the Erie's lawyer.

Mr. Stone opened, outlining the case of the men and reviewing the negotiations between the men and the railroads up to the time of the reaching of an agreement to arbitrate.

The first specific demand to be taken up was that fixing the pay of engineers on passenger trains at \$4.40 a day for engines with twenty-inch cylinders and \$4.60 on engines with cylinders of greater diameter. The next clause related to electric service, and here the engineers demand that whenever any part of the system is changed from steam to electric or other motive power, the locomotive engineers shall be retained and that their pay shall be the same.

"We propose to operate the transportation engines of this country, whatever the motive power is," said Mr. Stone very emphatically, "and later on, when you change to airships, we intend to operate them."

In reply to questions, he said that he regarded the responsibilities, the requirements and the dangers of the electric engineer as equally as great as those of the locomotive engineer.

He pointed out that the engineer must pass a rigid examination and be pronounced physically perfect before he is given charge of an engine.

Insurance statistics showed, Mr. Stone continued, that the average working life of a locomotive engineer is only eleven years and seven days, and he added that if a man has only that much labor to sell he should be paid more than the living wage.

### SEES MISSING DAUGHTER

Father's Last Wish Granted Just Before He Died.

Sunbury, Pa., July 16.—Because of her ability to remember faces, Mrs. C. E. Dalzell, of this place, reunited a missing daughter with her father just before the father died.

Mrs. H. H. Sheriff, of Lewistown, went to the Dalzell home and asked for Dalzell, who is a policeman. When told that he was out, the woman explained that she was hunting her sister, Miss Mary Jenkins, who had left her home three years ago. She was thought to be in this vicinity.

The stranger's face struck Mrs. Dalzell as resembling that of a girl working at a local hotel. She sent the woman there and Mrs. Sheriff found it was her sister.

The father of the women was dying and had expressed a wish to see his missing daughter, causing Mrs. Sheriff to come here and look for her. They left for their father's bedside and arrived a few minutes before he died.

### WILL SENTENCE MITCHELL

Labor Leader Will Waive Right to Be Present.

Washington, July 16.—John Mitchell will be sentenced tomorrow for contempt of court in connection with his part in the violation of an injunction in the Bucks Stove and Range boycott case.

His attorney will present a written waiver of his right to be present when sentence is imposed. Mitchell is on a lecture tour.

### Roosevelt to Go to Own Convention.

Oyster Bay, N. Y., July 16.—Colonel Roosevelt indicated that he would attend the National Progressive convention in Chicago on Aug. 6, so arranging his campaign trip through Michigan, Kansas and Iowa as to complete his speechmaking just before the convention begins.

### Zemo Soap Free

With every trial 25 cent bottle of the wonderful Zemo for all skin afflictions, you get a free trial cake of Zemo Soap, the best medicated soap produced. Lathers fine, makes the hands smooth, is a dandy head wash and you will grow to depend upon it. Zemo liquid cures all skin irritations and makes children happy. Return the bottle of Zemo if you don't like it and get your 25 cents.

## THE KITCHEN CABINET

IF STRAWBERRIES be not in season, buy them not at a great price. It is neither art nor courtesy to invite your friends to be "feasting money," as the saying is. A guest should be led to think always that her meal tasted pleasantly, never that its cost was disagreeable.

### PRACTICAL DESSERTS.

During the season of fruit, and for that matter, that is all the year round, fruit provides a dessert that is easy, usually inexpensive and decidedly wholesome. All fruit will not do in dessert making, so we like a variety of reasonably inexpensive dishes for everyday use.

There is a large variety of fritters and hot cakes that may be served with various sauces and are quickly and easily prepared. The fat kettle is carefully covered and set away and can be brought out to heat while the fritters are being prepared.

Apple Fritters.—Sift together one and a third cups of flour, two teaspoons of baking powder and half a teaspoonful of salt; beat an egg, add two-thirds of a cup of milk and mix all together, adding two sour apples cut in small pieces. Drop by spoonfuls in hot fat and fry a delicate brown. Roll in powdered sugar and serve with currant jelly sauce. The sauce is prepared by boiling together a cup of sugar and a third of a cup of water five minutes; add four tablespoonsful of currant jelly and when boiling hot the juice of a lemon; strain and serve, if a very nice sauce is desired, with a handful of candied cherries.

Baked Bananas (Porto Rico).—Put rather green bananas in the oven and bake until the skins burst; serve with butter.

Souffles are another form of dessert which may be varied in endless ways. When baking, a shallow pan should be used, as the weight of the mixture tends to break the cell walls. When the dish seems to be too shallow, line it with a band of buttered paper that stands up above the dish. Always set the pan into water to equalize the heat in baking.

Coffee Souffle.—Cook together three tablespoonsful each of butter and flour, then add a cup of black coffee. When thick add salt and a third of a cup of sugar; cool and add the beaten yolks of three eggs, and then add the beaten whites. Turn into buttered dish and bake until firm. Serve with whipped cream.

Nellie Maxwell.  
Public Sale

THURSDAY, AUGUST 1, 1912.

The undersigned, executors of the last will and testament of Elizabeth Ferry, late of Penn township, York Co., Pa., deceased, by authority contained in said will, will offer at public sale on the premises hereinafter described.

A TRACT OF LAND—situate in Union township, Adams Co., Pa., on the public road known as the "Robert Mill Road," one mile northwest of Hostetter's Meeting House and one mile west of the State road leading to Hanover, (and the proposed State road leading from Philadelphia to Gettysburg), containing

127 ACRES and 60 PERCHES and adjoining properties of William Hoke, John Grove, Samuel Rebert, George D. Basehoar, John Hostetter and Daniel Bair, improved with a two-story brick house, new frame bank barn, new frame wagon shed and corn barn, new hog stable, and other outbuildings.

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Also at the same time and place will sell the following personal property: survey, good as new, buggy, Dayton wagon, 2 sets harness, new electric fan, lawn mower, pump trough, 2 iron kettles and a copper kettle. Sale to begin at 1 o'clock p. m. Terms by A. F. RIFE, JOHN E. RHODES, Executors.

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A 1400 lb. Clidesdale brood mare for sale, light bay with white face, sound, and no better leader, fearless of anything a fine family mare and no better truck horse, has good action, 8 years old has had 3 fine colts.

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### TERMS

Will stand at stable of Addison Leer, in Straban township, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, Thursday and Friday and at Fulman's Stock Yards in Gettysburg, Saturday, beginning April 7. Service fee \$3.00, to be paid when mare is known to be with foal; \$10.00 to insure foal standing notes to be given for same. Service to old or inferior mares will be refused.

John Stevens has been duly registered with the State Live Stock Sanitary Board, under License No. 583 as Pennsylvania Grade Stallion.

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Do you know that the kidneys are like the strainers or fine sieves, through which every drop of blood in the body passes again and again?

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Just go to the People's or Huber's Drug Stores today and get a bottle of Thompson's Barosma, the most scientific kidney, liver and bladder regulator the world has ever known, take it regularly for two weeks, and all the impure matter in your kidneys will pass out through the bladder, and your kidneys will be as pure and clean and healthy as any kidneys can be.

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1:00 P. M. for York & Intermediate Points.

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7:00 P. M. Daily, New Oxford, Hanover, York and immediate points to Baltimore.

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Rye Chop ..... 1.80  
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Cement ..... \$1.15 per bbl.

Per bbl.  
Flour ..... \$5.60  
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Shelled Corn ..... .95  
Oats ..... .65  
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## BABY FOUND QUEERLY WOUNDED IN CRIB

### Face, Neck and Chest Badly Lacerated.

Pottsville, Pa., July 16.—Two thousand foreigners at Minersville are greatly excited over the treatment accorded the four-year-old baby of Felix Ludman.

The child, when left alone for about ten minutes, was inflicted with wounds which resemble bites, but if they are bites they are apparently by some strange animal.

The mother found the baby unconscious in the crib, turned crosswise, with a red bandana handkerchief soaked in water covering its face. When the mother lifted the handkerchief she found the child's face black. At the forehead the flesh was apparently chewed and a bigger wound of the same kind was found on the neck, and a still larger one on the chest. The little one's body was also badly bruised.

## OUR FOREIGN COMMERCE

New High Records in Both Imports and Exports.

Washington, July 16.—The foreign commerce of the United States established a new high record in both imports and exports in the fiscal year 1912.

The figures of the year's total trade, just completed by the bureau of statistics of the department of commerce and labor, show that the imports were \$1,693,426,174 and the exports \$2,204,222,068 in value. The imports exceeded by about \$100,000,000 the former high record, that of 1910, when the total of imports was \$1,556,947,430.

## SIX BOYS HELD FOR MURDER

Stabbed and Clubbed Negro to Death For \$250 in Plunder.

Washington, July 16.—The proffer of a stained dollar bill to a shopkeeper resulted in the arrest of six youths, who are locked up here, charged with stabbing and clubbing to death Thomas Cole, a negro.

The boys are said to have divided \$250 they found on the victim. The crime was committed in the outskirts of Washington. The youths admit their complicity in the murder, but disagree as to which of their number was the ringleader.

### "Trust" May Give Up Fight.

Washington, July 16.—The government's civil anti-trust suit against the United Shoe Machinery company may be settled by an agreed decree of dissolution. This was indicated at a conference between Attorney General Wickersham and lawyers for the corporation.

### To Notify Taft Aug. 1.

Washington, July 16.—President Taft will be notified of his nomination at the White House on Aug. 1. This was decided by Mr. Hilles, chairman of the Republican national committee, and Senator Root, chairman of the committee of notification.

## WEATHER EVERYWHERE.

Observations of United States weather bureaus taken at 8 p. m. yesterday follow:

	Temp.	Weather.
Albany.....	84	Clear.
Atlantic City..	74	Cloudy.
Boston.....	80	Cloudy.
Buffalo.....	70	Cloudy.
Chicago.....	62	Clear.
New Orleans...	80	P. Cloudy.
New York.....	78	Cloudy.
Philadelphia...	82	P. Cloudy.
St. Louis.....	82	P. Cloudy.
Washington....	76	P. Cloudy.

### Weather Forecast.

Showers today; fair tomorrow; north winds.

## FOR SALE

The farm of the late William H. Adams, five miles north of Gettysburg, along the Harrisburg state road containing seventy-five acres, three acres of timber, improved with a frame house and barn, two wells of water and all other buildings. For further information call on or address HARVEY W. ADAMS, Executor

# AMERICA WINS THE OLYMPIAD

## Victorious Athletes Receive Prizes From King.

## SWEDEN IN SECOND PLACE

James Thorpe, the Carlisle Indian, Again Carries Old Glory to Victory in the Decathlon.

### HOW THE NATIONS STAND IN OLYMPIC GAMES.

The point score for all sports, including shooting, swimming, lawn tennis, football, etc., follows:

United States..120	Norway .....	1
Great Britain..102	Hungary .....	
Sweden .....	96	Austria .....
Germany .....	36	Russia .....
Finland .....	41	Greece .....
France .....	23	Belgium .....
Denmark .....	13	Holland .....
Italy .....	13	

Great Britain's total includes points won by Australia (12), Canada (11) and South Africa (16).

The point score in the track and field games follows:

United States..	85	Germany.....	4
Finland.....	28	France.....	4
Great Britain..	22	Norway.....	2
Sweden.....	13	Hungary.....	1
Greece.....	4	Italy.....	1

The distribution of points is three for first place, two for second and one for third.

Great Britain's total includes points won by South Africa (5) and Canada (7).

Stockholm, Sweden, July 14.—The fifth renewal of the Olympic games came to a close in a blaze of glory for the Americans.

The team representing Old Glory captured the international games with scores to spare and made it five straight Olympiads.

The feature of the last events was the winning of the Decathlon by James Thorpe, a "real American." Thorpe is an American Indian and wears the colors of the Carlisle Indian school. Thorpe had previously won the Pentathlon, and when he swept the Star Spangled Banner to victory again the great stadium rang with cheers.

The United States scored nearly as many Olympic points in purely track and field events as all the other nations combined. At the conclusion of the games the Stars and Stripes led with a total of 85 points, whereas the scores of all the other nations combined aggregated only 59. Finland stood next to America with 28.

In two of the leading events yesterday, namely the 1600 meters race and the Decathlon, the United States secured first place, while in the 800 meters swimming final, which was carried off by Australia, the United States was second, thus scoring altogether 8 points.

Sweden added 19 points to her total; Finland, 13 points; England, 6 points; Germany, 5 points; Australia, 3 points; France, 2 points; and Italy, 1. In the cross-country race of 8000 meters (about five miles), which was partly an individual and partly a team race, H. Kolehmainen, the noted Finn runner, came in easily first, but his team was placed after that of Sweden in the team race.

King Gustave formally presented the Olympic prizes to the victorious athletes of all nations. There was a picturesque scene in the stadium as the democratic monarch shook the hand of every man who had won a first place in the contest.

The crown prince awarded second prizes, while thirds were given to the lucky men by Prince Charles.

The Americans, by virtue of winning the Olympic championship, were the first in the line that marched before the three members of Sweden's royal house.

Ralph Craig, who led the line, received two gold medals and the laurel crown from the king. Meredith and Reddeth were next, followed by the lesser point winners among the Americans. Jackson, the British speed artist, led the English athletes.

The arena fairly shook with cheers when McArthur, the lanky South African policeman, was awarded the Marathon trophy.

James Thorpe, the American Indian, winner of the Pentathlon and Decathlon, was crowned with two laurel wreaths and given two trophies so large that he could not carry them.

Gloom was cast over the spectators and participants in the Olympic games when it became known that the only Portuguese runner in Sunday's historic Marathon race, F. Lazo, had died in the hospital. He suffered from sunstroke during the race and fell out at Silfirdal on the return journey, after running nineteen miles.

A squad of boy scouts who were patrolling the course to help any runners in distress picked up the Portuguese and telephoned for an ambulance. In the meantime Lazo was taken unconscious to a medical station, several of which had been erected along the course. From there an ambulance transported him to Stockholm.

Lazo never recovered consciousness. He was delirious throughout the night and imagined he was still running the race.

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## BASE BALL SCORES.

Following is the Result of Games Played Yesterday.

### AMERICAN LEAGUE.

At New York—New York, 5; St. Louis, 3. Batteries—Ford, Sweeney; Powell, Adams, Stephens.  
At Boston—Detroit, 6; Boston, 4. Batteries—Works, Dubuc, Stanage; Hall, Bedient, Wood, Cady.  
At Philadelphia—Athletics, 7; Cleveland, 0. Batteries—Brown, Lapp; Keller, Steen, O'Neill.  
At Washington—Chicago, 4; Washington, 2. Batteries—White, Sullivan, Walsh, Kuhn; Groome, Felt, Williams.

### Standing of the Clubs.

	W. L. P. C.		W. L. P. C.
Boston..	56 26 683	Cleveland	42 42 500
Washn..	50 33 602	Detroit..	40 42 488
Athletics	46 35 568	N. York..	22 53 293
Chicago.	44 35 557	St. Louis	22 56 282

### NATIONAL LEAGUE.

At St. Louis—St. Louis, 10; New York, 6. Batteries—Salley, Geyer, Dase, Willis, Wingo; Ames, Crandall, Meyers.  
At Cincinnati—Philadelphia, 2; Cincinnati, 1. Batteries—Rixey, Kilfiter; Fromme, McLean.  
At Chicago—Chicago, 8; Boston, 7. Batteries—Maroney, Brown, Needham, Archer; Dickson, C. Brown, Donnelly, Kilgus.  
At Pittsburgh—Pittsburgh, 4; Brooklyn, 3 (1st game); 13 innings. Batteries—Warner, Gibson, Robinson, Simon; Allen, Curtis, Miller.  
Pittsburgh, 8; Brooklyn, 4 (2d game). Batteries—Hendrix, Simon; Kent, Burke, Erwin.

### Standing of the Clubs.

	W. L. P. C.		W. L. P. C.
N. York..	58 19 752	Phila.	34 38 472
Chicago..	47 28 627	St. Louis	34 49 459
Pittsburg	45 31 592	Brooklyn	30 48 385
Cincinnati	41 39 513	Boston..	22 59 272

### TRI-STATE LEAGUE.

At Wilmington—Reading, 3; Wilmington, 0. Batteries—Scott, Therre; Llewellyn, Kerr.  
At Trenton—Trenton, 4; Johnstown, 2 (1st game). Batteries—Girard, Mitchell; Edwards, Ketter.  
Johnstown, 9; Trenton, 8 (2d game). Batteries—Cleary, Ketter; Matthews, Mitchell.  
At Allentown—Allentown, 7; Harrisburg, 6 (1st game). Batteries—Manning, Miller.  
At Atlantic City—Atlantic City, 4; York, 2. Batteries—Chabek, Frost; Lloyd, Porter.

### Standing of the Clubs.

	W. L. P. C.		W. L. P. C.
Trenton..	41 23 621	Wilmington	32 492
Harrisburg	40 26 606	Reading..	30 38 441
Allentown	33 29 532	York....	26 38 406
Atlantic City	31 30 508	Johnstn.	23 41 359

## BODIES OF VANIMAN AND ENGINEER FOUND

### All Victims of Airship Disaster Recovered.

Atlantic City, N. J., July 16.—The bodies of Melvin Vaniman and Fred Elmer, the last of the five men who fell 2000 feet with the wreck of the airship Akron on July 2, were recovered.

On the day of the catastrophe the bodies of Calvin Vaniman and George Bourillon were found in the wreckage. Walter Gest's body was recovered on the beach at South Brigantine July 10.

Elmer's body was found on the beach at Brigantine. Harry and Howell Cook went over in a launch to get it and were astonished when Captain Conover, of the life saving station there, reported that Vaniman's body had also been located.

The men went to the point designated and immediately recognized the body. Both bodies were taken into the launch and brought to the inlet.

Hasty scrutiny of the bodies showed that they were crushed by the fall, half the bones being broken. Vaniman's body was found near where that of Gest was recovered, half a mile from the spot where the main part of the airship dropped. Elmer's body was carried a full four miles away.

It is now assumed that the three men last found were either hanging free or dropped out of the car, for they plainly had been carried back and forth by tidal currents for days before finally being cast up on the beach.

### Plumber Nearly Frozen.

Milton, Pa. July 16.—While the thermometer was hovering about 90 degrees Harry Lefevre, a plumber, was nearly frozen to death. He went into a ice manufacturing plant to repair a broken pipe, closing the door after him. While there one of the sides of the tank caved in, allowing the freezing solution to pass down upon the man.

## GENERAL MARKETS

PHILADELPHIA — FLOUR quiet; winter clear, \$4.80@4.85; city mills, fancy, \$5.30@5.15.

RYE FLOUR quiet; per barrel, \$4.85 @5.

WHEAT quiet; No. 2 red, 98¢@99¢.

CORN quiet; No. 2 yellow, 52½¢@53¢.

OATS firm; No. 2 white, 56½¢@57¢; lower grades, 54¢.

POLTRY: Live steady; hens, 16¢@16½¢; old roosters, 11¢. Dressed firm; choice fowls, 16¢; old roosters, 11¢.

BUTTER quiet; creamery, fancy, 29¢ per lb.

EGGS steady; selected, 26¢@27¢; nearby, 25¢; western, 25¢.

POTATOES steady; new, 75¢@82¢ per barrel.

### Live Stock Markets.

PITTSBURGH (Union Stock Yards) — CATTLE steady; choice, \$8.75@10; prime, \$8.25.

SHEEPS: Live steady; prime wethers, \$4.75@4.90; culls and common, \$1.50@3; lambs, \$4.50@7.25; veal calves, \$5 @9.50.

HOGS steady; prime heavies, \$7.80 @8.5; medium, \$7.85@7.90; heavy Yorkers, \$7.90@7.95; light Yorkers, \$7.90@7.95; pigs, \$7.50@7.75; roughs, \$6.50@7.10.

THE Ladies' Aid Society of the United Brethren church will hold a lawn festival on the church lawn on the evening of July 28.

KEELEY CURE

The cure that has been continuously successful for more than 32 years is worth investigating. For the drug or drink habit. Write for particulars. Only Keeley Institute in Eastern Penna. 612, Second St., Phila.

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2 Acres—7 room house, slate roof, stable, blacksmith shop and other buildings, fine lawn. Everything in fine condition \$900

3 Acres, 40 Perches—2 miles from Gettysburg, good 7 room frame house, stable, chicken house and hog pen. Good location for chicken farm. The buildings are almost new, plenty of fruit and located at intersection of two public roads \$1000

7½ Acres—2 miles from Barlow on public road, 7 room frame house and barn, other buildings. A fine home \$1100

8½ Acres—at Station on P. & H. railroad near Gettysburg. 9 room frame house, stable, hog pen, chicken house and plenty of fruit, good soil and excellent location for poultry and fruit. \$1200

14 Acres—in Mt. Joy township, 2 miles from Harney, red and sandy soil, 7 room brick house with summer kitchen attached, frame barn with wagon shed, chicken house with feed and laying room, all other buildings in good condition, fine well of water \$1650

14 Acres, 115 Perches—Mt. Joy township, 1½ miles from Two Taverns, 7 room brick house, frame barn and all necessary outbuildings. Buildings in good condition and convenient, good land \$1500

15 Acres—3 miles north of Gettysburg, on public road, 8 room frame house with bath room and slate roof, stable with slate roof and all other buildings, almost new, plenty of fruit and good soil, some timber \$2200

15 Acres—2 miles west of Gettysburg, good 6 room weatherboarded house and large frame barn, other buildings \$1250

15 Acres—1½ miles west of Gettysburg, on public road, running water, 2 acres pasture, 8 room frame house, large stable and outbuildings. A very nice little home \$2100

11 Acres—with ½ acre locust, balance clear, along Emmitsburg road 2 miles from the town of Emmitsburg, 9 room frame house, barn, new hog pen, chicken house, fine springs and well of water \$800

18 Acres—½ mile east of Gettysburg, along York pike, 200 growing apple trees, no buildings, good location for poultry, running water \$1000

20 Acres—between Cashtown and Arendtsville, on Main road, 6 room frame house and stable, fine quality of fruit soil, well and cistern. A nice home \$1200

30 Acres—between Culp's and Wolf's Hill, stone house and low barn. Buildings need repairs, 2 springs and well, granite soil, 50 good apple trees \$1500

32 Acres—adjoining nice village in Franklin township, 7 room brick house and frame barn, needs repairs, running water, 50 apple trees \$2800

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40 Acres—in Butler township, small 4 room house and barn, 6 acres timber on public road, shale soil \$1000

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44 Acres—Warehouse and poultry farm, 8 room fine frame house, cement cellar, 2 barns, hog pen, 1 poultry house 8x24, 1 poultry house 8x16 and 1 poultry house 8x12, located right at R. R. station, good productive soil, 140 apple trees 10 years old, warehouse 20x50 feet, 3 wells \$4200

(The 8½ acre farm in this list at \$1200 adjoins this property.)

46 Acres—2½ miles from Barlow, good fences, land all lined. All necessary buildings but in need of repair. \$1800

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56 Acres—1 mile from Gettysburg borough, and on macadamized road, all under cultivation, and in good condition. 7 room frame house and bank barn, fair condition. Poultry house 80 x 15 ft. Running water. \$3500

60 Acres—granite soil, at Greenmount, 5 room log weatherboarded house and low barn, needs repairs, 12 acres timber, running water, 12 acres pasture and hay land. \$2000

60 Acres—2½ miles from York Springs, 8 room stone house and new barn, fine buildings, running water and pasture. \$2700

71 Acres—in Mt. Joy township, 5 miles from Gettysburg, near church and school, stone house and frame barn, other buildings, orchard of 40 trees, 2 wells. \$2900

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97 Acres—3 miles east of Biglerville, 2 good houses, 9 room frame house and 5 room stone house, bank barn with water system, granite and shale soil, good condition. \$3500

103 Acres—3 miles southwest of Biglerville in apple belt, Penn loam soil, 1080 growing apple trees, 30 acres suitable for fruit, 15 acres pasture, good hay and grain farm, 9 room frame house 30 x 50, bank barn 44 x 84, all in good repairs, good fences, creek through farm and 5000 catalpa trees 5 years old. Price \$7000

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# My Lady of the North

THE LOVE STORY OF A GRAY JACKET  
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AUTHOR OF  
"WHEN WILDERNESS WAS KING"  
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## CHAPTER XXIX.

A Mission for Beelzebub.  
As we picked our way slowly forward through the gloom I gleaned from Caton all he knew regarding the situation before us. My own knowledge of the environments of the Minor House helped me greatly to appreciate the difficulties to be surmounted. He had succeeded in his escape by dodging among the negro cabins where the attacking line appeared weakest, but expressed the conviction that even this slight gap would be securely closed long before we reached there.

"Have they sufficient men, then, to cover thoroughly all four sides?" I asked.

"To the best of my judgment, there must be fully two hundred and fifty in the gang, and apparently they operate under strict military discipline. It is a revelation to me, Wayne, of the growing power of these desperate fellows. I knew they were becoming numerous and bold, but this surpasses anything I could imagine. More, they are being constantly recruited by new arrivals. A party of at least a dozen came in while I was hiding behind the stables. I heard them asking for the leader."

"What did they call him?"

"Lory, or Laurie, or something like that. They claimed to be deserters from Lee's army, but two or three of them wore our uniforms."

"It's Red Lowrie," I said gravely, more impressed than ever with the seriousness of the situation. "I heard



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of him two years ago—he killed a man in the Sixth North Carolina, and took to the hills. Since then he has developed into quite a leader for such a scoundrel, and has proven himself a merciless monster. You have no suggestion to offer as to how we had better attempt to get in?"

He shook his head despondently.

"What station does Brennan defend?" I asked.

"The front of the house; the main point of attack has been there."

We could distinguish the sound of firing by this time, and its continuous volume convinced me that Caton's estimate of the number engaged was not greatly overdrawn. As we topped the summit of the hill a great burst of red fire leaped suddenly high into the sky.

"Great God, Wayne! we are too late!" he cried wildly. "Those devils have fired the house."

With fiercely throbbing heart I gazed down at the flames far below in the black valley.

"No," I said with eager relief. "It is the stable which is ablaze. See, the light falls full upon the white side of the house. Thank Heaven, we are not too late."

As I sat my horse there, gazing down upon that scene of black rapine, unwilling to venture into its midst until I could formulate some definite plan of action, fully a dozen wild schemes thronged into my brain, only to be cast aside, one after another, as thoroughly impracticable.

"We shall have to make a dash for it, and trust in God," said Caton, guessing at my dilemma.

"No," I answered firmly, "there would be no possibility of success in such a course. Those fellows are old hands, and have pickets out. See, Caton, that is certainly a picket-fire yonder where the road dips. Every man of us would be shot down before we penetrated those guard lines and attained the house. We have got to reach their inner line some way through strategy, and even then must risk being fired upon by our own people before we get within cover."

Even as I was speaking I evolved a plan of action—desperate it certainly was, yet nothing better occurred to me, and time was golden.

"Ehlers," I said, "didn't I see an extra jacket strapped back of your saddle?"

"It is no good," he protested vehemently. "It 'vos for der rain come."

"All right; hand it over to the Lieutenant here. Caton, throw that uniform coat of yours into the ditch and don honest gray for once. Sands, come here. Take your knife and cut away every symbol of rank on my jacket; tear it off any way you can."

In another moment these necessary changes had been accomplished.

"Now," I ordered, "pile your sabers there with mine beside the road; then hobble your horses, all but the mule; I shall want him."

"Does we no der rest of der way ou

foot?" questioned the Sergeant, anxiously.

"Certainly; and I desire you to remember one important thing: let me do the talking, but if any of you are asked questions, we are deserters from Hill's corps, word of the war."

"Mein Gott!" muttered the German, disconsolately. "I hope it vos not long off, Captain; I am so good on foot in der dark, by Chiminy."

"You had better manage to keep up tonight, unless you are seeking to commit suicide. Now, men, mark me carefully! Load your carbines. Are you all ready? Sergeant, see that each man has his gun properly charged and capped. You are to carry your arms as thoroughly concealed as possible; keep close to me always; obey my orders instantly, and to the letter. We are but twenty men pitted against over two hundred, remember, and when we strike, it must be both quick and hard."

I mounted the mule, counted the dim figures in the darkness, and then gave the order to march. As we moved slowly down the hill I was aware that Caton walked upon one side of me, while Bungay plodded along upon the other; but my mind was so filled with the excitement of our adventure and all that depended upon its successful culmination, as scarcely to realize anything other than the part I must personally play. Good fortune and audacity alone could combine to win the game we were now engaged upon.

A tall heavily bearded mountaineer stood squarely in the middle of the road to the north of the picket-fire. I could make out but little of him as the light shone, excepting that he wore a high coonskin cap and bore a long rifle.

"Stop right thar!" he called out hoarsely, upon hearing us. "Who are you uns?"

As he challenged, a dozen others sprang up from about the flame and, guns in hand, came toward us on a run.

"We uns are doggoned tired o' soldierin', an' a guttin' nuthin' fer it," I said in the slow Southern drawl, "an' watter jine yer gang, pervidin' thar's any show fer it."

"How many are ye?" asked one of the newcomers, striding forward between us and the sentry.

"A right smart heap o' a bunch; bin a pickin' o' 'em up ever since we left Charlotte," I returned evasively.

"They be dandies ter fight, an' I reckon as how ye kin use 'em, can't ye?"

"Maybe; who did ye want ter see?"

"Wal, they sed as how a feller named Lowrie was a runnin' this yere gang, an' if thet's ther way o' it, I reckon as how it's Lowrie we're after. Be you Lowrie?"

"Naw."

The answer was so gruff and short, and the fellow hesitated so long in adding anything to it, I began to think it was all off.

"Wal," he consented to say at last, ungraciously, thar's a blame pile o' ye kin in lately, an' I calculate we got 'bout 'nough fer our business, but I reckon as how Red will use ye some whar. Anyhow you uns kin come 'long with me an' find out, but ye'll diskliver him 'bout ther ornerest man jist now ever ye run up again. He's plum mad, Red is, fer sartin'."

He turned and strode off, without so much as giving us a backward glance, and with a hearty congratulatory kick to the mule, I and my company followed him. A hundred yards further in we passed through the fringe of trees and emerged into an open space from whence we could see plainly the great white house still illumined by the flames which continued to consume the stables. Shots were flashing like fireflies out of the darkness on every side of us, the smell of burning powder scented the air, and I could distinguish the black forms of men lying prone on the grass in something resembling a skirmish line.

"Makin' a fight o' it, ain't they?" I asked of our taciturn guide, as we picked our way carefully among the recumbent forms.

"Damn 'em, yes, a hell o' a fight," he admitted bitterly.

Just beyond musket-shot from the house, and nearly opposite the front entrance, quite a group of men were standing beneath the black shadows of a grove of trees. In spite of the gleam from the fire I could make little of them, but as we approached from the direction of the rear, one of them exclaimed suddenly:

"Who comes thar? What body o' men is thet?"

"It's 'nother party o' deserters, as wants ter jine us," said the guide, sourly. "They's Johnnies from Lee's army."

"Oh, they dew, dew they? Who's ther boss o' this yere crowd?"

I swung down from my seat on the mule's back, and stood facing him, as he advanced.

"We uns hain't got no boss," I answered, "but they sorter fell in ahind o' me 'cause I was astraddle o' this mule. Be you named Lowrie?"

"I reckon; I'm Red Lowrie," proudly. "Spect, maybe, ye've heerd tell o' me, an' if ye hev, ye know ye've got ter step damn lively whin I howl. What was ye in ther army?"

"Corporal."

The flames of the burning barn leaped suddenly upward, as if fed by some fresh combustion, and flung a brighter glare over the rough faces clustered about us. I saw Red Lowrie plainly enough now, as he peered eagerly forward to scan my face, a

heavy-set, coarse-featured man, with prominent nose, and thick, matted red beard. He wore a wide-brimmed soft army hat, under which his eyes shone maliciously, and he grasped a long rifle in one big, hairy hand. As I gazed at him, obviously, some one hastily pushed a way through the group at his back, and the next instant a tall figure stood at his side. I recognized the newcomer at a single glance, and for the moment my heart fairly choked me—it was Craig.

"Lowrie," he said, pointing straight at me, "thar's somethin' wrong yere. That feller thar is Captain Wayne, o' my ol' reg'ment."

All that occurred next was but the impulse of a second. I stood with hand resting lightly upon the mule's back, his long head drooping sleepily beside my shoulder. I saw Red Lowrie throw up his gun, all his evil nature written in his face, his cruel eyes instantly aflame with anger, and, inspired by the desperation of our case, I stooped suddenly, and blew with all my force into that long, pendant ear. Beelzebub gave vent to one snort of mingled rage and terror, and then let drive, backing into that cluster of choice rascals like a very thunderbolt of wrath, cleaving his way by every lightning blow of those nimble legs, and tumbling men to right and left. There was a yell of fright, a wild scramble for safety, a perfect volley of cursing—I saw Red Lowrie go tumbling backward, a heel planted fairly in the pit of his stomach, and the next instant Craig, swearing like a pirate, was jammed down on top of him, a red gash across his forehead. It was all accomplished so speedily, that it seemed but a medley of heels, of wildly cawing mule, of scrambling, falling men.

"Fire!" I cried excitedly. "Sock it into them, lads, and follow me!"

There was a quick outburst of flame, a thunderous report, and, without waiting to see or hear more, I sprang forward through the dense smoke, and raced madly toward the front door. Caton panted at my side, and I could hear the heavy feet of a score of men pounding the turf behind us. The rush was so rapid, the noise so great and confusing, I could not distinguish whether we were even fired upon from the rear, but I marked a red flash at one of the windows in our front, and heard behind me a sharp wall of agony.

"If any man drops, pick him up!" I called, and at that moment we sprang up the steps, and began pounding loudly against the door.

"Open up!" shouted the Lieutenant, anxiously. "Brennan, open up, quick! It's Caton with help."

I thought it never would open. A volley crashed into us, and Sands pitched down upon his face, clutching at the man next him as he fell. I glanced back anxiously—a dark, confused mass of men, without military formation, were running across the open space toward us.

"Bout face!" I shouted. "Load at will—fire!"

We poured one scattering volley into them. It halted their movement for a moment, and then the door opened a scant crack.

"Is this you, Caton?"

"Yes; for God's sake, open up!"

The heavy door swung slowly inward, and with a wild rush to be first, we surged headlong into the hall.

## CHAPTER XXX.

### A Union of Yank and Heo.

As the heavy door clanged behind us some one upon the outside began pounding upon it, while with deadly chug a bullet crashed into the oaken panel.

"Donnerwetter!" shouted a deep voice, wildly. "Captain, I am yet out mit der bullets."

With a crash I flung aside the thick iron bar which answered as a lock, and drew in the Sergeant, yet panting heavily from his hard run.

"By Chiminy, dot vas a narrow squeak," he exclaimed, as I released my grasp upon him and hurled the door back into its place.

A dim light swinging suspended from the ceiling of the great wide hall revealed clearly the scene within. As I turned I beheld Brennan for the first time, and his face remains a memory. Standing with his back to the stair-railing, a revolver grasped tightly in either hand, his eyes burning, his countenance flushed with anger, and clouded by doubt, he appeared almost like one distracted. At sight of me he gave up all attempt to control his raging temper.

"What does all this mean?" he demanded hoarsely. "Who are these men? Caton, if you have betrayed us, by God, I will shoot you dead."

"There is no betrayal," returned the Lieutenant, coolly. "These men are friends."

"Friends?" he laughed cynically. "Friends? In that uniform, and you attired in a Rebel cavalry jacket? Friends? that fellow over there?" and he pointed derisively at me with his pistol barrel. "Damn you, but I believe you are all a pack of lying thieves!"

Caton's face burned. He took one step toward him, his hands clinched, and when he spoke his clear voice shook with intense indignation.

"Major Brennan," he said coldly deliberately, "you are my superior officer, but you go beyond all privileges of rank in those words. I say these men are friends; they have sunk the issues of war in order that they may answer the call of humanity. If you dare impeach my motives any further, I shall hurl back the cowardly insult in your face. I will take no such words, sir, from any living man."

Brennan looked at him, his lips struggling with the utterance that would not come. Knowing well the danger of such delay, I hastily pushed aside the ring of men, and fronted him, determined to end this foolishness then and there.

"Major Brennan," I said firmly, ignoring his efforts to silence me, "you must listen to reason whether you wish to do so or not. My troops are all around you; I have two men to your one in this house, and can enforce my will if necessary. New mark what I say—we are not here in anger or in war, but to help you in the protection of endangered women. We

captured your courier, have dispatched one of our own number into the Federal camp for aid, and have fought our way in here to stand beside you and your men in defense of this house against these rascals without. You can use us or not, just as you please; it rests with you to say whether we shall be comrades in arms on this occasion, or whether I shall assume command by the power of force which I chance to control."

He seemed utterly unable to grasp my full meaning, to comprehend the situation.

"You mean, you would fight with us? under my command?" he asked incredulously.

"I offer my services under your orders," I replied clearly, "and these men in gray will obey mine."

I actually thought he would extend his hand, but some remembrance suddenly restrained him.

"Of course, Captain Wayne," he stammered, at length. "I—I must accept your offer. I—I am grateful for it, but I shall insist upon one thing; there must be a final settlement of the personal matter existing between us. I am not willing to waive my rights in this."

"There is no occasion for your doing so, sir," I answered coldly, for I considered the reference at that moment in extremely ill taste. "When our work here has been accomplished, you will find me very much at your service."

He bowed gravely.

"I am exceedingly glad we understand each other," he said. "May I ask the size of your command?"

"Sergeant," I questioned, "whom have we lost?"

"Nelson vos kilt, I dinks; der Kid is not here yet, und Sands vos wounded."

"Very well; then, Major Brennan, I tender you sixteen men fit for duty, besides myself. You are doubtless acquainted with the house, and can assign us to positions where our services will prove of greatest value."

He had completely recovered his self-control by this time, and spoke now with the terse sentences of a tried soldier.

"I thank you, Captain Wayne, and will ask you to choose four men and assume command of the east side of the house. Caton, you take the same number for defense of the rear. Captain, what is your sergeant's name?"

"Ebers, an experienced German soldier."

"I should have suspected his nationality. Let him have command of four more, and cover the west windows. I shall defend the front myself, as I have been doing."

"Very well," I answered shortly, for his eyes had remained fixed upon me all the time he was talking. "Take the positions assigned you, lads, and do not permit a man from without to put foot on the veranda. If they once succeed in getting under cover of the porch roof, they will give us plenty of trouble."

The position for defense assigned to my care took me into the dining-room of the mansion—a spacious, almost square apartment, containing three large windows reaching nearly to the floor. The outside blinds had been closed, but the glass in the panes was mostly broken, and there were other evidences that the firing had been both heavy and continuous. I found two soldiers of Brennan's party within, both lying upon the floor, and peering cautiously through the apertures of the blinds. They glanced up at us with undisguised amazement.

"It's all right, lads," I said heartily. "Never mind our colors tonight; we are all fighting the same way."

I had taken with me Bungay, together with three of my troopers, and



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after placing them as advantageously as possible, I stretched myself out on the floor, and applying an eye to a convenient opening took careful survey of the situation without. This present cessation of activity was, I felt convinced, only temporary. I did not expect, from all I could now see, that the final assault would take place upon my side of the building. The massing of the main body of the besiegers before the front entrance, together with the presence there of their leaders, was sufficient to convince me that this was to prove the principal point of attack, and from my knowledge of such affairs I decided that probably the first signs of returning daylight would be the signal for a determined assault. The dark interior

of such a house as this offered too many defensive advantages which the daylight would largely overcome.

"Have you had some hard fighting?" I asked of the man lying next me, a manly-looking fellow, wearing the yellow chevrons of a corporal of cavalry.

"They pitched in mighty strong at first, sir," he answered civilly. "An' we had so few men they pretty nearly rushed us, fer sure. It was our repeatin' rifles thet drove 'em back."

We relapsed into silence, each intent upon the uncertainty without. As I lay there, gazing anxiously into the darkness, I could not forbear wondering where Brennan had concealed the women to keep them from harm. Would he inform them of our arrival? He could scarcely hope to keep the fact long hidden, for they would certainly see some of my gray-jackets,

and ask questions.

"They seem to be peckin' away pretty lively out in front," said the corporal, interrupting my reverie.

"Yes," I admitted. "In my judgment that will prove the main point of attack. How many men did the Major have there before we came?"

"Same as here, sir."

"And four of mine; that makes seven altogether, counting himself, and two of these ought to be posted in the upper story. He's bound to need more; that firing is very steady."

"He's got the women loadin' for him, and that helps some."

"The women?" I asked, staring at him in amazement. "Do you mean to say Mrs. Brennan and Celia Minor are there in that front room?"

"Don't know who they are, sir—two mighty fine lookin' young ladies,



"I Believe You Have Already Been Assigned Your Duties."

an old lady with white hair, an' a big, rough-lookin' female, sir. The last one vos handlin' a gun to beat the band just afore you came."

"And he keeps them there, exposed to all this heavy fire? What can the man mean? Why, Corporal, that constant shooting must have completely shattered the windows. There could be no safety for any one except lying flat upon the floor."

"Well, 'tain't quite so bad as that, sir," he protested, seemingly anxious to shield his officer from adverse criticism. "You see it's a double parlor, with a wall an' foldin' doors atween, an' the women are all in the rear room. Of course, it's almighty dark back there, an' they has to lie pretty close, but blamed if I know of any better place for them. This house hain't got no cellar."

A man groped his way in from the lighted hall, but halted close beside the door, unable to perceive us in the darkness.

"Is Captain Wayne here?" he asked.

"Yes; what is it?"

"Major Brennan has had two of his men hit, sir, and wishes you to spare him three of yours, unless you are hot-pressed."

"All right; there's nothing doing here," I answered, instantly determining upon my course. "Corporal, I shall leave you in command of this side for a few minutes. I believe I can be of more immediate value elsewhere. Bungay, you and Elliott come with me."

The lower hall, having no windows in it, was the only safe place in the building, and here a light had been kept burning. The door which, as I judged, must lead into the back parlor, was closed, and fastened upon the inside. At least it refused to yield to my hand when tried. Another in front stood very slightly ajar.

"Report to Brennan," I whispered into Jed's ear, "and forget to mention I am with you. I desire to investigate matters for myself a few moments."

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Cut up some little potatoes in an old kettle with water and put in the lamp burners and let boil with the potatoes all morning or longer if they are very black. This will cook the black off the burners. Then take an old tooth brush, then put in hot soap water before they dried, and a large chicken feather is nice to clean where you cannot use a brush. I have cleaned my lamp burners this way for years. After they are clean they look like new burners. This is an old recipe that I read about twenty years ago in a household paper.—Exchange.

**WOOLLY APHIS**  
One of the very destructive insects of this summer concerning which many orchardists are now making inquiry of Professor H. A. Surface, State Zoologist, Harrisburg, is the white woolly insect or plant louse known as the Woolly Aphis. A prominent fruit grower sent specimens and described it and asked for information about it. Dr. Surface wrote him as follows:  
"The woolly aphis. As good treatment as can be given is to make a very strong solution of soap in warm water, making it almost as thick as paint, and touch these little white bunches with a brush dipped into the soap solution, or spraying will also kill them. One pound of Whale Oil Soap in five gallons of water will clean them up. It is very important to destroy these pests before the close of the summer, as they are quite liable to go down to the roots of your trees and become permanently fixed on the roots, where they make galls and malformations that will interfere with the growth of the trees."

**Cream of Asparagus Soup.**  
For this the canned article may be used. Drain the liquor into a sauce pan and save. Cut off the tips and coarse stems, rub the stocks through a coarse sieve, heat the can liquor in a double boiler with three cups of milk, blend two tablespoonfuls of flour with two tablespoonfuls of cooking oil or butter and pour the heated milk upon it. Return to boiler and cook until smooth and creamy; add the asparagus pulp and heat again, then add the seasoning and the tips.